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## **Michael Meloy of Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox Named Best Lawyers' 2013 Philadelphia Environmental Law Lawyer of the Year**

Philadelphia, PA (September 18, 2012) – Michael Meloy of Manko, Gold, Katcher & Fox, LLP, (MGKF) has been named the Philadelphia Environmental Law Lawyer of the Year by [The Best Lawyers in America®](#) (“Best Lawyers” – [Copyright 2012 by Woodward/White, Inc., of Aiken, S.C].)\* Only one lawyer in each specialty in a community is honored as the “Lawyer of the Year.” According to *Best Lawyers*, the lawyers named “Lawyers of the Year” have received particularly high ratings in the surveys by earning a high level of respect among their peers for their abilities, professionalism, and integrity.

Robert Fox, managing partner of MGKF, shared his enthusiasm about Meloy’s achievement. “Michael is extremely deserving of this honor. No one works harder and is more thorough, analytic, tenacious and effective as a lawyer than Michael. We are all very proud of his accomplishments and so lucky to have him as a partner of the firm.” Meloy was humbled by the news. “To be singled out by my peers is an honor I will always remember.”

Michael has nearly 30 years of experience in the environmental arena. He brings both a legal and engineering background to bear in representing a wide array of clients ranging from Fortune 100 companies to closely held corporations, partnerships, municipalities, and citizens groups in environmental litigation, regulatory compliance, and transactional matters. He has provided regulatory assistance and advice to businesses in connection with all of the major environmental regulatory programs, handled the environmental aspects of complex real estate and corporate transactions, been actively involved in numerous redevelopment and remediation projects around the world, handled environmental litigation in both the federal and state courts and before administrative tribunals, and helped design and implement environmental auditing and compliance management programs. During the past several years, he has been heavily involved in issues relating to natural gas exploration and development in the Marcellus Shale formation.

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